

**BETWEEN THE BLANKETS.**

Some people take their cares and troubles to bed with them. It is a bad plan, for they are disloyal bedfellows. Even if "tired Nature's sweet restore" whips the spirit off to dream-land in the midst of its repinings and forebodings, there is no comfort for it there. Of the last sad waking thoughts are born visible ills that haunt us in the realm of Morphus, and we fight with horror all night long. Happy are those who can put off their day troubles with their day clothing, and, as they assume the horizontal, forget all the annoyances that belong to perpendicular life. We have known people who could do all this: individuals who, after struggling from morning till night in Sloughs of Despond, and getting miserably mauled by the Giant Despair, no sooner slipped between the sheets than the Angel of Sleep, who seemed to have been lying in wait there to bless them took them on her wings and bore them to Elysium. To fight over again in bed the battles of life, as many do in their slumbers, is a miserable business. Still more unpleasant is it to be surrendered in sleep to all sorts of vague and impossible phantoms which are no less disagreeable than they are utterly absurd. Worst of all is it to be through the weary watches of the night, self-tormented. The best thing nervous, highly impressionable, fidgety people can do after getting into bed is to lie resolutely still and try to abstract their minds from the occurrences of the day. The power of doing this is natural to man, but it may also be acquired by persevering effort. The will of the weakest is a mighty instrument when fairly brought into play.—*Wide World.*

A RECENT FALL OF MANNA.—Sir R. derick Murchison has been informed that a fall of manna has recently taken place in Asia Minor. This manna is a lichen which is formed in the steppes of the Kuirghis, and is often carried far to the west across the Caspian. The grain which is always perfectly detached, have much the form of a raspberry or mulberry, and are found frequently to be attached to a stony deposit of granite sandstone and lime. This manna is ground into flour, and baked into bread, and is known among the Turks by the name of "kerde-coghjasi," which means wonder-corn or grain.

Nothing is so favorable as human judgement, but nothing so pitiless. The one black spot in our hearts—the devil's share in us—is that the general impulse is to believe the worst.

When we see what a man is, we don't ask how he was educated. The fruits of a tree affords a better test of its condition than a statement of the composts used in dressing it.

Time has made life too long for our hopes, but too brief for our deeds.

New York city is to borrow \$4,000,000 to be expended in obtaining recruits under the new call.

How is it that the mouths of rivers are larger than their heads?

**DENTISTRY.**  
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Palmer, Nov. 26, 1864. t. E. NICHOLS.

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